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Married couple Ian and Amber Love enjoy their free lime-root beer and chocolate-raspberry milkshakes after waiting in line with hundreds of other customers for 10 minutes during Peter's Drive-In's customer appreciation day.

Zoo's panda bid futile?

History of animal deaths may hinder bears' return: Critic

KATIE TURNER
for Metro Calgary

While talks continue over the possibility of pandas coming to the Calgary Zoo, the facility's track record of deaths may hinder its chances of hosting the rare animals, according to one critic.

Julie Woodyer, campaign director of Zoocheck Canada, said the Chinese government has a strict selection process when it comes to loaning out the endangered bears.

"I can't even imagine why China would even allow them to import the animals for display," said Woodyer.

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However, Calgary Zoo spokesperson Laurie Herron does not anticipate that the zoo's history of animal loss will prevent the pandas from coming.

"We've had a couple of unfortunate incidents for sure that we've been very public about," she said. "We had pandas here before, 22 years ago, and they were fine, they did well."

Herron said that while the discussions are still in the preliminary stages, the zoo would take all the necessary steps to properly care for the pandas if they were to come.

"The space (the pandas) were in before is old now, so chances are we would have to build something new for them," she said.

Woodyer said that before the zoo can bring in any more animals, she believes they need to deal with existing problems.

"I think they're in way over their head already," she said. "Now you're talking about bringing in a highly endangered species."

The Calgary Zoo's string of deaths include 43 stingrays, a wild goat, a capybara, a baby elephant and a hippo in transit. It has also had to deal with escaped snakes, a gorilla with an edged weapon, and the near escape of another gorilla.

Herron said she does not know when a decision may be reached regarding the pandas.

No one willing to talk after shooting

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CRIME Police are frustrated with a lack of co-operation after shots were fired at a southeast community centre early yesterday morning.

Officers responded to the Ramsay Community Association Hall just after 2:30 a.m. after shots were fired and discovered several groups of people fighting, Insp. James Hardy said.

"It was a really dangerous situation for our officers to walk into with that many people fighting, and it was a tough scene to walk into," Hardy said, adding there were about 200 people in the hall.

"And nobody wants to talk, so we don't have any suspects in custody."

Hardy said it was lucky nobody was hurt during the apparent ethnic community gathering.

"Anytime there is a gun fired amongst that many people, it's concerning," Hardy added.

Ramsay resident Crystal Wallace said she is concerned, but believes the shooting would not have been random.

"I don't like it obviously, but I guess someone had a problem with someone there so I don't feel any less safe in the community," she said.

Police are asking anyone with information to contact them at 266-1234 or Crime Stoppers 1-800-222-8477.

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Ditching pants for cancer

More than 1,200 participants ran and walked through the streets of Calgary Saturday dressed in their best undies to raise money for cancers below the waist. The Alberta Cancer Foundation's fourth annual Underwear Affair raised $810,000, which will go towards research in Calgary and throughout Alberta. METRO CALGARY

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News in brief

MEMORIAL Family and friends will celebrate the lives of Allen and Margaret Berrington on Thursday at Foster's Garden Chapel in the northwest. The elderly couple was found dead last week after they went missing on May 27. Their grandson James Graham has said their ashes will be combined. The family will accept donations to the Heart and Stroke foundation in the couple's name.

DEATH Edmonton police are investigating the stabbing death of a Thai man celebrating his imminent return to his homeland. Police say two Thai men were walking to a convenience store early yesterday morning when they were assaulted by up to six Caucasian men. As they escaped, the 38-year-old victim came out to help his friends and was fatally stabbed. METRO CALGARY

25,000 gather to walk for MS

JESSICA PICHE
for Metro Calgary

Summer-like weather greeted Calgarians gearing up yesterday to help raise money for a debilitating disease.

Multiple sclerosis (MS) is a complex disease that impacts people of all demographics, and affects more than 11,000 Albertans.

Patrice Nedinis was diagnosed with MS seven years ago. "You never know what to expect with it," she said.

Her son and daughter joined her and about 25,000 others in the 19th annual Walk for MS at Prince's Island Park.

"It affects every aspect of my life, including my kids," Nedinis said of the illness. "They've had to learn how to live and cope with it too."

The walk is meant to raise both awareness and funding for MS research, said co-ordinator Allison Sayles — and they've got big goals for this year's event.

"We're hoping to surpass last year's $900,000," she said. "We're all here because of someone we know."

MS is an unpredictable and often disabling disease of the central nervous system that can occur at any age. It affects vision, hearing, memory, balance and mobility. Researchers have not yet discovered a cure.

Daughter Tamara Nedinis is focused on the positive side of her mother's disease.

"It has definitely brought us closer as a family," she said. "It's brought our extended family together. It's made us stronger."

JESSICA PICHE/FOR METRO CALGARY

The 13 members of the Rally in the Valley fundraising team, including Pepper the dog, raised over $11,000 for yesterday's Walk for MS.

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Calgary trumps northern neighbour in school rankings

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EDUCATION For Calgary it was a great report card. For Edmonton, it was not so impressive.

The latest Fraser Institute rankings found 10 of the 22 top schools in Calgary, compared with only two in Edmonton, according to spokesperson Peter Cowley.

Additionally, Calgary only had two schools in the bottom 21, which is less than 10 per cent, while Edmonton had four.

"Overall, it was really good for Calgary and they fared better than Edmonton," Cowley said.

"But the most important thing to remember with this is how the school compared with its own history, and if they are faring better or worse than in previous years."

Six Calgary schools improved over past years, he added.

Cowley said it would be complicated to pinpoint precisely why Calgary fared better but said it could be related to average income brought in by students' families, a number that is typically higher in Calgary.

The report, which graded 273 Alberta schools, including public, separate and private, also found more diploma exams are being failed provincewide.

The 2010 report card can be found at fraserinstitute.org.

Calgary rankings

City's top 3 schools...

- Rundle College (1)
- West Island College (3)
- Webber (4)

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- James Fowler (255)
- Juno Beach (272)

Woman assaulted during home invasion: Police

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"I know it's warm out, but it's important people remain vigilant and try to prevent crimes of opportunity."
Insp. James Hardy

ASSAULT Police are reminding Calgarians to lock their windows and doors at night after an early morning assault left a woman unconscious in her own home.

Insp. James Hardy said a woman was assaulted by an unknown offender when she confronted the stranger in her home in the 3100 block of Lake Fraser Court SE around 5 a.m.

"We don't know what the intention or motive of the offender was but the woman was assaulted in her home and she was left unconscious," Hardy said.

Police believe the suspect entered through an unlocked window.

Hardy said the difficult part about the investigation is there is not a clear description of the attacker.

"I know it's warm out, but it's important people remain vigilant and try to prevent crimes of opportunity," Hardy said.

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Immigration Guidy Mamann brings the bad news that a new backlog has been born at **metronews.ca/immigration**

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Man's death a homicide, say police
Calgary police are investigating the death of 58-year-old Anto Slisko as a homicide. Slisko's body was found Friday in a northwest home under construction. "We don't know if it was a targeted incident or a random event," said one officer on scene. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Residents concerned with Stampede plans

FLOODWAY Ramsay residents will be keeping a close eye on council today as aldermen discuss the land redevelopment plans for the Calgary Stampede.

The Stampede is asking to place corrals near the floodway of the Elbow River and are awaiting council approval. Ramsay residents are worried about the plan but Stampede spokesperson Doug Fraser believes their concerns will be alleviated.

More than 300 Ramsay residents have signed a petition against the plan, with most worried about smells and if the area were to flood again. METRO CALGARY

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Chris Magmuson gets a tattoo at Tiki Town to raise money for breast cancer.

Hundreds say it in ink for cancer fight

FUNDRAISER Pink ink and tattoo guns were out in full force at a northwest tattoo shop for Tattoos for Cancer yesterday.

Hundreds of people waited patiently to get pink ribbon tattoos or other memorable images as shop owner Keith Kennedy and several other tattoo artists in the city gave 30 minute tattoos for a minimum $30 donation.

"I think we all know someone touched by cancer and that's why so many people are coming out to support a great cause," said Kennedy.

KRISTA SYLVESTER/METRO CALGARY

'Wildflowers moving in'

Guerrilla Gardeners drop 'seed bombs' in 'desolate' locations

JESSICA PICHE
for Metro Calgary

Armed with shovels, watering cans and compost, this guerilla task force is set to take back Calgary's urban spaces.

With flowers.

The Guerrilla Gardeners are a small group of citizens who want to bring a little colour to drab areas of the downtown core.

Over 250 "seed bombs" — their weapon of choice — were planted in vacant spaces along 11th Avenue late Saturday evening. The empty planters around the Calgary Police Headquarters were also targeted.

Neshali Weera heads the team of renegade gardeners. "It's about reclaiming spaces," she said.

"I wanted to make use of free community space to bring people together.

"Downtown Calgary is either business or desolate. I like the idea of people and wildflowers moving in."

The "seed bombs" consist of local drought-resistant wildflower seeds in a clay and dirt mixture rolled into small balls. As the bombs breakdown, the clay and compost provide nutrients to the seeds.

The rest is up to Mother Nature.

"We have no idea what the outcome will be," said Weera. "But it's exciting to think of."

JESSICA PICHE FOR METRO CALGARY

Members of Calgary's Guerrilla Gardeners plant "seed bombs" near Eau Claire market yesterday.

The gardeners believe the public will welcome their efforts. "We're making something ugly and unused beautiful," said first time Guerrilla Gardener Meaghan Brierley. "I can't see people complaining about that."

Weera has not yet looked into the legality of dropping seed bombs on public land. "Ignorance is bliss," she said. "We'll apologize later.

"Besides, I kind of like the idea of it being considered graffiti."

Victim has trouble recalling detail: Police

INVESTIGATION Memory loss may be one reason why police have not made any arrests seven weeks after Dustin LaFortune was dumped at a Regina hospital severely underweight, burned and with parts of his tongue and lips cut off.

"He ... has some difficulty recalling reliably a lot of detail, and that's what's required to be able to gather the evidence for this case," police spokeswoman Elizabeth Popowich said in an interview.

LaFortune

Popowich cited provincial privacy laws for not revealing details of LaFortune's medical condition. But his family says the 26-year-old appears to be suffering from retrograde amnesia — a specific type of memory loss brought on by trauma and which wipes out recollections of the time leading up to the trauma. He also suffered brain damage.

"Dustin may never remember all the details, the sequence et cetera," reads a posting on the family's website. "Most of the severe deficits are in short-term memory. There may be some retrograde amnesia."

While police have been quietly working the case —officers raided an apartment where LaFortune may have lived near the hospital — his family has gone public with plenty of information.

Police have not named any suspects or issued any arrest warrants. They are, however, continuing to investigate, Popowich said.

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News in brief

BREAK-INS Police are looking for a man who may be responsible for two Saturday night break-ins in Braeside. Around 3 a.m., a six-foot tall, white male between 18 and 22 broke into a southwest home, stole several sets of keys and took off in the homeowner's vehicle. Just blocks away, the vehicle was found and a second home was broken into where keys were stolen.

ARREST With the help of his canine partner, a Calgary police officer was able to arrest one of three males who were attempting to steal a pickup truck early yesterday morning. At 3:40 a.m., the officer saw the three men in the parking lot of the Sheraton Cavalier Hotel in the northeast. The other two offenders were able to escape.

FOUND After around five hours in the bush, a missing Calgary boy was found by air searchers. The nine-year-old was camping with family at Peter Lougheed Provincial Park in Kananaskis when he went missing at 4 p.m. Saturday. Through a ground-tracker and helicopter searchers, the boy was found and airlifted back to the campsite. He was cold but uninjured.

ROBBERIES Two early morning Sunday robberies are being investigated. The first took place at 1 a.m. at Cheers Liquor Store in the northeast, when two men described as east Indian produced a handgun and demanded cash. At 1:30 a.m., a man walking on Castleridge Drive NE was robbed at knife-point by two men he described as both being native with long ponytails.

CACHE Three people were taken into custody after Calgary police discovered a stash of weapons in a car found in the northeast Saturday morning. Police responded to a complaint of a car prowler near a residence in the 200 block of Covebrook Close NE around 1 a.m. Nearby, one man and two male teens were found with several weapons.

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IED claims Canadian soldier's life in Afghanistan

Another Canadian soldier has been killed in Afghanistan. Sgt. Martin Goudreault, 35, died yesterday after an improvised explosive device detonated in the Panjwaii district. The Sudbury, Ont., native was on a foot patrol near the village of Nakhonay at the time of the blast. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Canada

Keep on dreaming, lotto players

All the millions of Canadians dreaming of Lotto Max riches will just have to keep dreaming for another week. There was no winning ticket for Friday's $50-million jackpot. As a result, the next draw — on Friday, June 11 — will offer a jackpot of $50 million plus 20 Maxmillions, for a potential $70-million payout by the lottery corporation.

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Do loose lips sink Tory ships?

Part 1 in a three-part series on the government's efforts to exert control over its message

Bottled Messages
Special Report

An MP's Sunday afternoon visit to a seniors' home. The federal purchase of powerful new military aircraft. A journalism student's innocuous query about Africa.

One thing connects them all — the Conservative government scripted each event using a potent but little-known communication tool called the Message Event Proposal.

The Canadian Press has obtained almost 1,000 pages of MEPs from several government departments, including the Privy Council Office, under the Access to Information Act. The PCO, the bureaucratic nerve centre of Ottawa, has been conscripted by an increasingly powerful Prime Minister's Office to vet requests for public events across the federal government.

The MEPs have blurred the time-honoured separation of non-partisan public servants and political staffers and sidelined seasoned government communicators, sapping morale across the civil service.

They have become the political tool for literally putting words in the mouths of cabinet ministers, federal bureaucrats, low-profile MPs on the barbecue circuit, and seasoned diplomats abroad.

What goes into an MEP

- An MEP template typically includes the following subtitles: Event, event type, desired headline, key messages, media lines, strategic objectives, desired soundbite, ideal speaking backdrop, ideal event photograph, tone, attire, rollout materials, background and strategic considerations.

"Your authorization is sought for President Greenhill to respond to questions ... during the press conference," reads one MEP prepared by the Canadian International Development Agency asking the PCO to allow its then-president, Robert Greenhill, to speak at a high-level United Nations panel.

The MEP is the crucial communication instrument for a minority government that values staying on message above all else — a transformation that federal officials and public-policy analysts say is undermining democracy. While all governments try to control the message, the ambitious sweep of MEPs is unprecedented in federal politics.

Critics say it contradicts the core campaign promise that brought Prime Minister Stephen Harper to power — introducing a new era of government transparency and accountability.

"We discussed every single issue and micromanaged every news release — everything," said one former Harper-era PCO official. "Pretty much any event, or any rollout of an announcement, would have an MEP that would lay out the strategy."

A review of hundreds of MEPs spanning several years reveals the vast sweep of control exerted by the Harper government. They have been used to orchestrate almost everything from the rollout of billion-dollar purchases of military aircraft to the donation of a few thousand dollars to a community group.

The identities of senior sources who have worked at PCO and other departments are not being revealed because they fear retribution from their political masters.

Political scientist Jonathan Rose says the MEP is worrisome because there are "bureaucrats who are doing the government's partisan work and also political staffers who are doing bureaucrats' work. So there's this huge blurring of lines between the two."

The Prime Minister's Office declined to comment on this story.

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Unfair treatment for unmarried soldiers?

BENEFIT The Canadian Human Rights Commission is examining whether Ottawa discriminates against families of single soldiers killed overseas by excluding them from a quarter-million dollar death benefit.

The Canadian Press has learned the agency plans to convene a tribunal hearing some time in the next few months. It will weigh the complaint of an Ontario couple whose son Cpl. Matthew Dinning died in a roadside bomb attack in Kandahar four years ago.

"Married and single soldiers have fought side-by-side in Afghanistan, they wore the same uniform, they died for the same country ... they should be treated the same as far as death benefits go," Lincoln Dinning said. "It's a moral and ethical issue. And it's about treating all fallen soldiers the same."

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President Jacob Zuma yesterday declared South Africa ready for the start of the World Cup and praised the tournament for bringing cohesion to his once divided nation. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Cap may work, but oil spill drags on

As the White House struggled to regain the American public's trust as oil continues to gush from a BP well at the bottom of the Gulf of Mexico, the oil giant said its containment cap — its latest effort to plug the leak — was beginning to capture greater amounts of crude.

BP said it has increased the amount of oil being collected from its oozing well to 10,500 barrels a day and expects the quantity to increase in the days to come, a rare bit of promising news in the midst of the worst oil spill in U.S. history. The containment cap is capturing "probably the vast majority" of the leaking oil, Tony Hayward, the beleaguered CEO of BP, told the BBC in an interview yesterday.

Admiral Thad Allen, the White House's point man on the disaster, backed up BP's numbers, but also cautioned against getting too optimistic. "We're making the right progress," Allen, making the rounds of the Sunday talk shows, said on CNN. "I don't think anyone should be pleased as long as there's oil in the water."

Allen said the gushing oil is just one of several fronts in a battle in the gulf that will stretch on for months. "This is a war, he said.

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BP is paying

- An official for BP PLC says the oil giant has paid 18,000 claims along the Gulf Coast totalling more than $48 million. Darryl Willis, a BP vice-president, said yesterday that the company has received 37,000 claims so far. President Barack Obama warned last week during a trip to Louisiana that he didn't want BP "nickel-and-diming people" who claim to have lost money because of the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico.

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Germany **Europe rocks**

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Fans enjoy the 25th open air festival Rock am Ring, one of Europe's largest music events, at the Nuerburg race track, Germany. About 85,000 fans enjoyed more than 80 live acts, including: Jay-Z; Kiss; Motörhead; Muse; Rise Against; Them Crooked Vultures; and Wolfmother.

Activists were planning a fight: Israel

GAZA Israel's prime minister, Benjamin Netanyahu, claimed yesterday that Turkish activists who battled Israeli naval commandos in a deadly clash last week prepared for the fight ahead of time, boarding the ship in a different city from the rest of the passengers.

Last Monday's operation, in which nine activists were killed aboard a ship headed to the blockaded Gaza Strip, has damaged Israel's ties with Turkey — its main Muslim ally — and brought heavy pressure on Israel to lift the three-year closure of Hamas-ruled Gaza.

Huwaida Arraf, a leader of the Free Gaza Movement, which organized the flotilla, denounced Netanyahu's claims as "another pack of lies."

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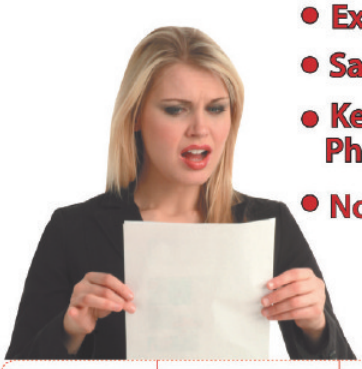

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Short-sighted rollback

InTransit

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Some Calgary Transit riders will face reduced or eliminated service this month. A progressive city should be growing its public transit, not reducing it — but we did ask for this in a roundabout way when we demanded lower property taxes.

I get it — I don't like paying taxes, my budget is tight and, frankly, I think a good portion of our tax dollars are wasted. Public transit should not have been put on the chopping block though. There was $20 million taken out of the city's 2010 budget ($1.2 million of that was taken from Calgary Transit) in order to save the typical household just $4.50 per month.

It doesn't seem like that great of a savings when you think of what we're losing.

Later this month, 10 city bus routes will be altered or cut. It's part of a reduction of 21,500 service hours. The routes Calgary Transit sacrificed are underused, so perhaps it's a good move — but the money saved should be redirected to increase service on well-used routes or to new areas.

Despite decreased service, fares increased this year with an adult ticket jumping to $2.75 from $2.50.

It all seems backwards to me — cutting essential services, especially to low- and middle-income earners, yet increasing fees for those reduced services during a time when said services are needed most.

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But the decision makers here aren't unique in how the pencils are sharpened during an economic downturn.

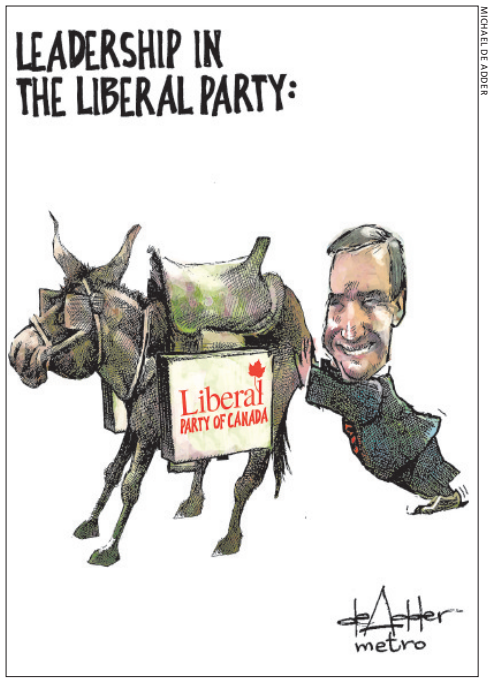
Transportation for America reported that nearly 90 per cent of transit agencies in the U.S. had raised fares or cut service in 2009. Similarly, the American Public Transportation Association found 80 per cent of transit agencies were dealing with flat or declining revenue from state and local governments.

But while transit cuts are commonplace during economic hard times, not everyone simply accepts them.

Toronto Mayor David Miller has been a vocal opponent of Ontario provincial plans to cut $4 billion from the Transit City project. He gets points for creativity in his battle using whatever tactics necessary, including taking to Toronto subway's public announcement system to encourage riders to pressure the premier to restore the funding for rapid transit in the city.

It's a battle worth fighting. Public transit produces greater mobility (especially for low-income earners), reduced traffic congestion, less oil consumption, cleaner air and, in my opinion, more vibrant and sustainable cities. Cutting service is simply short-sighted.

Adrienne Beattie is a Calgary-born writer who has covered urban issues since 2001 and has an English degree from the University of Calgary.



MICHAEL DE ADDER

Noteworthy

Cheadle vows to promote environment conservation

Actor Don Cheadle has become a spokesman for the United Nations environment program.

He was appointed Saturday in Rwanda's capital as a UN Environment Program Goodwill Ambassador and vowed to fight climate change and promote environment conservation.

Don Cheadle

UNEP executive director Achim Steiner announced the appointment, saying Cheadle would help raise green awareness among millions of people around the globe.

Cheadle also named a baby gorilla Zoya, a name chosen by Internet users as part of a UNEP awareness program.

In 2004, Cheadle starred in the film Hotel Rwanda, which told the world about the Rwandan genocide in 1994 that claimed the lives of more than 500,000 people, mostly Tutsis and moderate Hutus. The Rwandan government, however, was critical of the film. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Worth mentioning

Pot club raids help organized crime: Senator

Police have done the Mob and street gangs a favour by cracking down on cannabis clubs, say pot decriminalization advocates.

They warn people will now be buying their stuff from criminal networks instead of tax-paying businesses.

Thirty-five people were arrested in raids on Quebec's so-called "compassion clubs" — storefront outlets operating in plain view — while 90 kilograms of cannabis were also seized Thursday.

Those clubs in Montreal and Quebec City offered a wide selection of marijuana for about $10 per gram to customers who claimed a medical condition and provided a doctor's note.

Police argue the clubs were selling to healthy people and essentially were drug-trafficking operations. A police spokesman said those arrested were all released after promising to appear in court June 23.

Senator Pierre Claude Nolin says users of medicinal marijuana are now forced to find it elsewhere, and the vast majority will wind up getting it from criminal gangs.

After making the arrests, police themselves declared the clubs had no connection to criminal gangs.

"It's the most disastrous consequence of the whole operation," said Nolin, a longtime advocate for relaxed drug laws.

"The vast majority will have to look at the black market ... and the substance on the black market is not exactly the quality substance that are received in the clubs.

"In the clubs, they are trying to have access to organic cannabis, which is not the case with the black market."

He says research suggests there are roughly one million Canadians who say they smoke cannabis for medical purposes, while less than 5,000 such permits have been issued by Health Canada.

That means, he says, the vast majority will have to find their supply elsewhere.

An official for the federal Justice Department said there would be no comment on the cases. All questions were referred to Health Canada.

The Health Canada website says that, as of June 2009, 4,029 people had authorization to possess dried marijuana for medical purposes and 2,360 were allowed to cultivate or produce it.

A pie chart indicates the largest number of permits — 1,631 — were issued in Ontario, followed by 1,008 in British Columbia. Nova Scotia was third with 491, followed by Quebec with 305. In Alberta, 282 people were given permission to use cannabis for their health.

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Quote of the Day

"Co-operation between parties to produce political and electoral stability is not illegitimate. It's never been illegitimate — it's part of our system."

— LIBERAL LEADER MICHAEL IGNATIEFF, WHO SAID COALITION GOVERNMENTS ARE "PERFECTLY LEGITIMATE" AND HE WOULD BE PREPARED TO LEAD ONE IF THAT'S THE HAND CANADIAN VOTERS DEAL HIM IN THE NEXT ELECTION.
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Disabled Nortel employees denied appeal hearing
An attempt by a group of disabled Nortel employees has failed to win a hearing at the Ontario Court of Appeal of their objections to an agreement the company reached for pensioners and employees on long-term disability. The court denied the group leave to appeal the settlement reached in March. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Easing wireless restrictions

Canada's wireless industry could be lined up for a dose of competitive fervour if Ottawa launches its anticipated loosening of foreign ownership restrictions and throws open the doors to outside investors in the coming months.

Analysts widely anticipate that Industry Minister Tony Clement could unveil further details of government's plans for changes to ownership in the communications industry during a key note speech slated for this morning at the Canadian Telecom Summit in Toronto.

The minister is expected to first seek the opinions of Canadians after unveiling the details of the government's plan.

"Certainly he'll put feelers out and see what kind of response he gets to it," said Mark Tauschek, senior research analyst with InfoTech Research Group.

Clement has become the face of potential changes in Canada's wireless industry after making the controversial decision last year to overrule the CRTC, and permit Egyptian-funded cellphone operator Globalive Wireless to open shop in Canada.

At that time, Clement said the decision wasn't intended to set a precedent for the industry.

However, the move shook up existing telecom regulations — which limit direct and indirect foreign investment to 46.7 per cent — and established a new potential for companies wanting to build a presence in the country.

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McDonald's **Not so happy meal**

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Jasmine Matta, 7, takes a photo of her Shrek-themed glasses, distributed in McDonald's Happy Meals. McDonald's has been forced to recall millions of Shrek glasses because they were tainted with cadmium. Customers should stop using the glasses, but not throw them away. McDonald's wants the glasses returned and will pay for the refund in cash.

Automakers target 2012 for fully electric vehicles

AUTO Fully electric vehicles should be widely available to Canadian consumers within two years, with offerings in the pipeline from Nissan, Ford, Toyota, Mitsubishi and others, automakers say.

"I think what you're hearing across the board is that 2012 is the time when you're going to have critical mass and a huge number of (electric) products coming forward from every manufacturer," Toyota Canada managing director Stephen Beatty told a conference on green vehicle technology in Toronto.

"(That) becomes the big moment when you see that transformation in the auto industry in North America and electric comes on big time," Beatty added. "It'll be very fascinating to see how the market responds to that."

Nissan is poised to be the first major carmaker to introduce a purely electric consumer vehicle into the Canadian market, with its Leaf set to be in showrooms here by late 2011, said Mark McDade, director of marketing at Nissan Canada. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Canadian employment beating odds as 24,700 jobs added in May

JOBS The Canadian economy keeps beating expectations and most of the industrialized world in its ability to create jobs.

But market reaction was muted at best Friday as U.S. jobs numbers were dismal and a new wrinkle in the European sovereign debt crisis cast a cloud over global growth, calling into question just how far ahead of its peers Canada's economy can remain.

The Canadian economy seems very far ahead of its peers now — particularly in the repairing of its labour market — with Friday's report that 24,700 new jobs were added in May and an astounding 67,300 full-time jobs, most of them from employers and in the private sector. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Business in brief

OIL A biologist and researcher is asking why none of the six men on the board regulating oil activity off Newfoundland lists environmental expertise as a prime credential. The head of the Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Petroleum Board has stressed that environmental protection is a top goal. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Green converts

Catholics Going Green examines basic environmental justice themes through the lens of Catholic social teaching and scripture. Targeted at Catholics, but readable for anyone looking for deeper meaning in going green themes. METRO NEWS SERVICES

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Cleaner, greener future for truckers

Emission standards driving new generation of truckers to be cleanest ever on Canadian roads

BEN KNIGHT
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Many Canadians see transport trucks as a necessary evil. Necessary, because just about any product you buy anywhere likely spent part of its journey to market on a truck. Evil, because of the noise, highway congestion, dust, vehicle size, pollution ....

Well, maybe not pollution. Changes in emission standards in both Canada and the United States, coupled with innovative new technologies, have made the latest generation of big rigs — by far — the cleanest ever seen on our highways.

"Smog emission has been completely and successfully dealt with," says Paul R. Landry, president and CEO of the British Columbia Trucking Association.

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Today's trucks are using GPS along with other technologies to help curb dirty emissions.

"If you were to look at a new truck back in '98 or '99, you'd see smoke coming out of the stack. Every time the gas pedal went down, there'd be this puff of absolutely black smoke. Today's trucks are extremely clean. You could go into Los Angeles with a 2010 truck, and it would take dirty air, clean it, and put it right back in circulation."

That covers just about all dirty emissions — particulates, carbon monoxide — that haze up cities and irritate people's lungs and eyes. And, as anyone who lives near a well-travelled road knows, also leaves a layer of dirt on windows, walls and even furniture.

Still an issue, though, is the emission of greenhouse gases like carbon dioxide. "Unfortunately, the contradiction we've been faced with is that, until 2010, the technology that focused on reduced smog emissions has caused us to actually consume more fuel," Landry concedes. "When we put on those particulate traps in 2007, it added weight to the truck, and caused an increase in energy consumption."

The answer? Greater fuel efficiency. And there are many ways to achieve that.

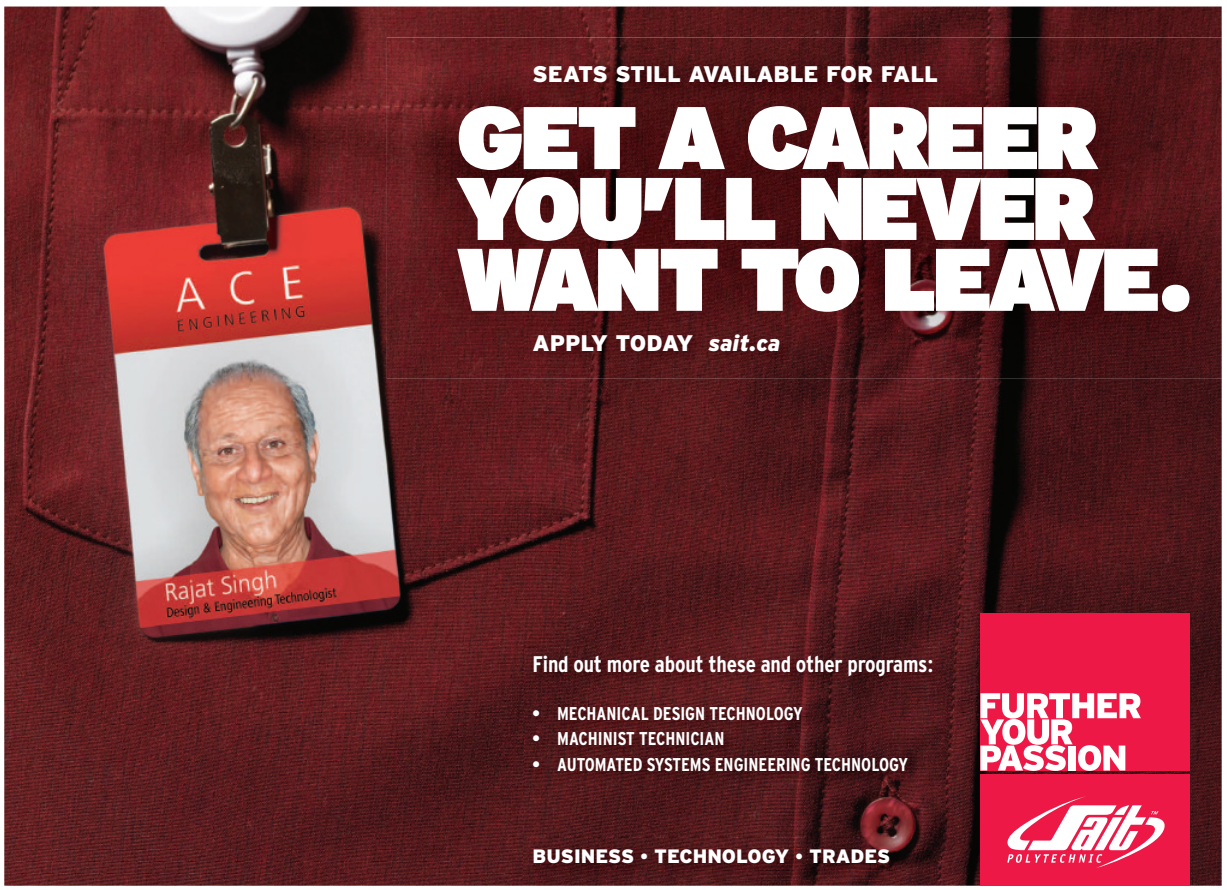
"There are technologies that can be deployed in terms of aerodynamics and anti-idling devices," Landry notes. "Similarly, a well-trained driver can reduce your fuel consumption by 10 to 15 per cent. We can use GPS to ensure we've got our routing right, and keep our trucks are as full as possible to reduce the number of trucks that need to be on the road. All of those things are happening."

All of this costs money, of course. And even though fuel savings cover most upgrade costs in under two years, Landry says his industry could really use some outside help.

"We'd like to have a greater partnership with government in terms of providing access to that capital," he concludes. "When you have to spend that extra $20,000 to $30,000 on a tractor for aerodynamics or an anti-idling device, getting your hands on that capital is really a challenge."

Trucking changes

- The Alberta government announced last week it is offering up to $30,000 in rebates for truck owners and small-to-midsize operators adopting fuel-efficient technologies. The $2-million program assists with the acquisition of aerodynamic aids, devices that reduce idling time, and specially designed hybrid trucks – all designed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the province's transportation industry.



Stampede before World Cup warm-up leaves 15 hurt

Thousands of football fans stampeded outside a stadium yesterday before a World Cup warm-up match between Nigeria and North Korea, leaving 15 people injured, including one policeman who was seriously hurt. Several fans could be seen falling under the rush of people, many wearing Nigeria jerseys. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sports

Chavez praises Galarraga

Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez called Armando Galarraga, left, a "tremendous pitcher" yesterday and praised him for his sportsmanship after an umpire's blown call robbed him of a perfect game. Chavez called for a round of applause for the Venezuelan pitcher during his weekly TV and radio program, saying "everyone knows he pitched a perfect game." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Allen's threes help Celtics even series

(Series tied 1-1)

Celtics 103 **Lakers** 94

NBA The Boston Celtics evened the NBA finals with Ray Allen shredding the Lakers from the three-point line — and Rajon Rondo doing everything else from everywhere else.

Allen scored 27 of his 32 points in the first half with a record-setting three-point shooting display,

Rondo completed a triple-double down the stretch and the Celtics handed the Los Angeles Lakers their first home loss of the post-season, 103-94 last night in Game 2.

Allen hit a finals-record eight three-pointers in a dazzling effort for the Celtics, including seven before halftime. Rondo then took charge after Allen cooled down, racking up 19 points, 12 rebounds and 10 assists in his fifth playoff triple-double. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Dave Bolland (36) of the Chicago Blackhawks celebrates with his teammates after scoring a goal against the Philadelphia Flyers in Game 5 of the Stanley Cup final in Chicago yesterday.

Hawks one win away

(Chicago leads series 3-2)

Flyers 4 **Blackhawks** 7

Dustin Byfuglien scored two goals and had two assists as the Chicago Blackhawks got off to a quick start and beat the Philadelphia Flyers 7-4 last night for a 3-2 lead in the Stanley Cup final.

Brent Seabrook added a power-play goal and Dave Bolland, Kris Versteeg, Patrick Kane and Patrick Sharp also scored for the Blackhawks.

Chicago can capture the Stanley Cup for the first time since 1961 with a victory Wednesday night in Philadelphia in Game 6. A Flyers win would send the series back to Chicago for a decisive Game 7 on Friday night.

All five wins in the series have come on home ice.

Scott Hartnell, Kimmo Timonen, James van Riemsdyk and Simon Gagne scored for the Flyers. Gagne's goal with 2:36 left made it 6-4, but a half-minute later Byfuglien converted an empty-netter.

After two straight losses in Philadelphia, a return to the United Center invigorated the Blackhawks as did some line mixing by coach Joel Quenneville.

The Blackhawks blitzed Flyers goalie Michael Leighton with three goals in the final 7:43 of the first period, sending the crowd into a frenzy. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sports in brief

TENNIS Rafael Nadal has reclaimed his crown as the King of Clay. The Spaniard won his fifth French Open title yesterday with a 6-4, 6-2, 6-4 win over Robin Soderling. Nadal improved to 38-1 at Roland Garros, with the only loss to Soderling a year ago.

NASCAR Denny Hamlin won again at Pocono, pulling away from teammate Kyle Busch following a late restart yesterday in the 500-mile race at the massive 2.5-mile oval.

GOLF Justin Rose joined the English revival in golf yesterday, rallying from a four-shot deficit to win the Memorial with a flawless final round for his first victory in seven years on the PGA Tour. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Baltimore 4 Boston 3 (11 ings)
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YESTERDAY'S NL RESULTS

Cincinnati 5 Washington 4 (10 ings)
Colorado 3 Arizona 2
Houston 6 Chicago Cubs 3
N.Y. Mets 7 Florida 6
San Diego 6 Philadelphia 5 (10 ings)
San Francisco 6 Pittsburgh 5 (10 ings)
L.A. Dodgers 5 Atlanta 4
Milwaukee 4 St. Louis 3

NHL PLAYOFFS

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Chicago 7 Philadelphia 4 (Chicago leads series 3-2)

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Philadelphia 5 Chicago 3

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Argos trade Cetoute to Riders for St-Pierre

The Toronto Argonauts have sent wide receiver Obed Cetoute to the Saskatchewan Roughriders in exchange for offensive lineman Jonathan St-Pierre. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Labinjo drops pounds, looking for fresh start

Stampeders head coach John Hufnagel brought a weight scale into his office at the end of last season and had defensive lineman Mike Labinjo step on it.

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Calgary Stampeder Mike Labinjo runs a drill during the team's training camp yesterday.

At 317 pounds, the Toronto native had never been heavier. If Labinjo was going to play defensive end for the Stampeders this season, he had to lose weight.

"Most guys went home after the season. I stuck around," Labinjo said on the first day of CFL training camp yesterday. "I talked to Huf. I talked to my new strength coach and they gave me some stuff to get going.

"Most guys start their training in February and I started in December."

Now a relatively svelte 286 pounds, the 29-year-old aims to regain a leading role on the Stamps after a lost season.

Labinjo admits he arrived at last year's training camp complacent and doughy with 315 pounds on his six-foot frame.

He'd had a breakout season in 2008, but then struggled last year, which prompted the intervention of a weigh-in.

Hufnagel hadn't seen Labinjo in over a month prior to Saturday's medicals.

"I was pleased when I saw him yesterday and I saw him in uniform," Hufnagel said. "I watched during the individual drill. He had good quickness. He was working hard getting on the field here, trying to win his job back."

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Attitude important to staying in school
According to a survey at the University of Maryland, if students' attitudes toward their school eight weeks into the academic year was positive, they tended to stay; if it was strongly negative, they tended to leave. Thus proving, "Attitude matters," according to one of the co-authors of the study. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Workology

Students not so smart with debt

A "shocking" lack of financial aid literacy exists among students, according to a new report based on a survey of Canadian university students. Results show that 75 per cent of respondents, including 54 per cent of upper-year government loan recipients, failed the financial aid literacy test posed in the survey. The Canadian Alliance of Student Associations says the report shows a severe lack of financial aid literacy that needs to be addressed. METRO NEWS SERVICES

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A globetrotting Tupperware queen

OddJobs

Diane Peters

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Through Tupperware comes a dream vacation? When Jennifer Schultz, pictured, first became a Tupperware salesperson, she did not expect that it would eventually lead to a trip to Argentina, right.

The Lowdown

Job title: Tupperware salesperson.
Salary: From $1,300 a month; star directors like Schultz make around $40,000.
Education/training: Constant training through Tupperware and others salespeople on conference calls, through webinars and at conferences.
Best Part of the Job: "The flexibility and the pay."
Worst Part of the Job: "Managing people across the country when I have never met them."

Jennifer Schultz went from burping babies to burping Tupperware. This was not her plan. The native of Kitchener, Ont., studied early childhood education and taught in Montessori school.

After getting married and having two kids and settling in nearby Waterloo, Schultz decided she wanted to be a stay-at-home mom. When her youngest was three years old, in 2005, she went to a Tupperware party at a friend's house, she even agreed to hold her own.

Her first party raked in $1,000 — a success — but when salesperson offered her a kit to run her own parties, she only halfheartedly agreed:

"I was a bit embarrassed at first. It wasn't cool. I'd done things in my life. Me, a Tupperware lady?"

She began hosting parties a few nights a week. The time demand was minimal and the products sold themselves: Along with plastic containers, the company offered knives, kitchen linens, teas and pots and pans. But she often lost heart and wondered how anyone ever made real money at the job.

About 10 months later, and after almost giving up a few times, she realized that she could be a lot more successful if she didn't just focus on selling Tupperware, but tried as well to recruit new salespeople.

Schultz's sales force grew and soon she began getting rewards from the company — including trips to Disney World and Argentina, as well as a new convertible.

She now has 60 sales representatives who pay her a portion of their sales. Some she recruited from parties, others through her website, many of whom live far enough away that she's never met them.

For those who do live nearby, she holds regular meetings to offer selling tips. Schultz also regularly meets and talks with other Tupperware salespeople to keep her own skills sharp.

Her workday begins at 9:30 a.m., when her kids are at school. At least three nights a week she's out to run parties or attend meetings. It adds up to about 20 hours a week, which suite her and her kids just fine: "Every time I do something on the weekend, it bothers me."

Diane Peters once hawked magic pens at the Canadian National Exhibition. She's now a writer and part-time journalism instructor.

Crash course to avoid a crisis

BookReview

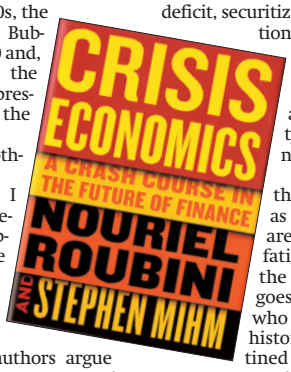
Crisis Economics
Author: Nouriel Roubin and Stephen Mihm
Publisher: The Penguin Press
Price: $35.00

CRAIG LUND
for Metro Canada

Given we are starting to glimpse the light at the end of this gruelling tunnel referred to by some as the Great Recession, the general population has settled with the conclusion that this crisis — as it was — is an anomaly.

According to authors Nouriel Roubin and Stephen Mihm, crises are a natural occurrence, with far more predictability than is realized: "Crises, we argue, are neither the freak events that modern economics has made them seem nor the rare 'black swans' that other commentators have made them out to be" says Roubin and Mihm.

Cobbled together as part history lesson, current case study and crystal ball gazing, Crisis Economics lays out a number of global examples of financial collapse including the speculative bubble in tulips in Holland in the 1630s, the South Sea Bubble of 1720 and, of course, the Great Depression of the 1930s amongst others.



What I found especially helpful was the explanation of financial jargon that the authors argue even some economists don't quite understand. You've heard the buzz words — designed to make simple things seem more complicated than they need be. "Moral hazard, leverage, bank run, regulatory arbitrage, current account deficit, securitization, deflation, credit derivative, credit crunch and liquidity crunch, to name a few."

Other than the fact that as a public we are recession fatigued, as the old adage goes: Those who don't know history are destined to repeat it — this is the book we all hope our money managers and politicians have read or plan to read.

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Crow adopts baby boy

Sheryl Crow is the mother of another baby boy. The singer-songwriter announced Friday that she has adopted another son, Levi James, who was born April 30. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Entertainment

Surprise guest

Spike TV says Sandra Bullock made a surprise appearance at its Guys Choice' event Saturday to accept the Troops Choice Award for Entertainer of The Year, from presenter Robert Downey, Jr.

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Jewel still shines

Success allows singer to call the shots

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Sweet and Wild, out tomorrow, might be Jewel's latest album released under the country music banner, but don't expect the 36-year-old singer and songwriter to stylistically pigeonhole herself.

All you need to do is look at her nine-album catalogue to truly appreciate her diversity: there's the folkish-pop sound of her 1995 12-million selling debut Pieces Of You; the dance-rhythm orientation of 2003's 0304; and last year's intimately stark, acoustic Lullaby.

"I see it all as the same," Kilcher told Metro Saturday from Florence, Ind., where she's part-way through a tour that won't hit Canada until 2011.

Sweet and Wild is out tomorrow

"To me it seems so natural: If you go into your closet, you might own sweatpants and a business suit and golfing clothes — but they all belong to the same person.

"It's a three-dimensional reflection of me. I'm p—y, acerbic and sarcastic, but I'm also very earnest, sincere and poetic."

And make no mistake: it's Jewel who calls the shots, ever since the mind-boggling success of Pieces Of You — propelled by the Top 10 hits Foolish Games, Who Will Save Your Soul and You Were Meant For Me — made her financially comfortable for life.

"My first album really gave me freedom because it made me so much money that I never really had to have a hit again," she explains. "And so, instead of feeling all this pressure — like how am I going to follow this up and have bigger hits — it took pressure off me.

Sweet and Wild is the new album from Jewel.

So Jewel has a simpler objective these days. "My goals in life are to hopefully have longevity and continue to focus on the craft and get better at writing."

For Sweet and Wild, Jewel took a different tact: she invited some of Nashville's top songwriters to write at the Texas ranch she shares with her rodeo champion husband, Ty Murray.

"Stay Here Forever (her current single) and What You Are are two songs I got from those sessions," she says.

Jewel says the 11 songs on Sweet and Wild "showcase both sides of my personality."

"I like to read poetry and sit under trees, but I also ride my motorcycle, shoot guns and smoke a cigar if there's a good one around."

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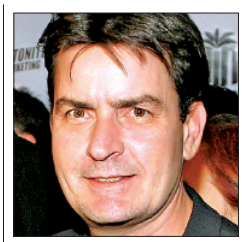

Charlie Sheen

Sheen wants theatrical plea deal

PEOPLE Attorneys for Charlie Sheen have approached a Colorado non-profit theatre about having the actor do public service work as part of a plea deal in his domestic violence case, the theatre's artistic director said. Sheen's duties, if the deal is approved, would include teaching a class and helping with Theatre Aspen's three summer shows, Paige Price said.

"I certainly think he has the career credentials," she said. "And he could possibly teach a class or do question-and-answer sessions." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Dodgers settle ticket suit with Lovitz

The Los Angeles Dodgers say they've resolved a dispute with comedian and actor Jon Lovitz over nearly $100,000 US in unpaid tickets. The Dodgers sued Lovitz and others last month over non-payment for the 2010 season seats, which are located behind home plate. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Bollywood Oscar night

Many stars attend event despite calls for boycott

Hit comedy film 3 Idiots starring superstar Aamir Khan took home most of the awards on offer at the annual Bollywood Oscars on the weekend, including best Indian movie.

The film directed by Rajkumar Hirani that revolves around the lives of three engineering students won 16 out of 31 awards, including best director, at the International Indian Film Awards held in Sri Lanka's capital, Colombo, on Saturday.

It won eight of the 12 technical awards, including best screenplay, best cinematography and editing.

Kareena Kapoor, who starred in 3 Idiots, shared the best actress award with Vidya Balan who was in Paa, a film about a 12-year-old suffering from progeria, a rare, genetic disease that causes rapid aging.

The best actor award went to Bollywood icon Amitabh Bachchan, who played the child in Paa.

Bollywood stars Jacqueline Fernandez, left, and Kareena Kapoor attend the IIF Awards Saturday in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

Canada will host the 2011 IIF Awards in Toronto

Hollywood makeup artists Christien Tinsley and Dominie Till bagged an award for their work on Bachchan's much older appearance.

Bachchan was not at the awards ceremony. Neither were other big Bollywood names Aamir Khan and Shah Rukh Khan.

They and other Bollywood stars had been asked to boycott the event by some actors and directors from India's southern state of Tamil Nadu, who alleged Sri Lankan forces killed ethnic Tamil civilians in the final stages of the war last year.

Sri Lanka's military defeated Tamil Tiger rebels who had fought for a separate homeland for minority Tamils, who have family and cultural links with the people of Tamil Nadu.

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Box office

Estimated ticket sales at the North American box office for the weekend beginning June 4:

1. **SHREK FOREVER AFTER:** $25.3 million US
2. **GET HIM TO THE GREEK:** $17.4 million
3. **KILLERS:** $16.1 million
4. **PRINCE OF PERSIA: THE SANDS OF TIME** $13.9 million
5. **SEX AND THE CITY 2:** $12.6 million
6. **MARMADUKE:** $11.3 million
7. **IRON MAN 2:** $7.8 million
8. **SPLICE:** $7.4 million
9. **ROBIN HOOD:** $5.1 million
10. **LETTERS TO JULIET:** $3 million

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	617	522	32 SHOW	Trailer Park	Trailer Park	Painkiller Jane		*A Job to Kill For* (2006, Suspense) Sean Young.				Misfits
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Persons Unknown

Oscar-winning writer Christopher McQuarrie is among the executive producers of this new mystery drama about a group of strangers who must work together to solve the puzzle of their lives after they are taken from their daily lives and dropped in a deserted town with no recollection of how they got there — or why. 11 PM on KHQ

CSI: Miami

We heard her act was red hot, but this is ridiculous. When a beloved musician (Lucy Hale) literally bursts into flames during a concert, the CSIs expose the dark side of pop music stardom in "Show Stopper." David Caruso, Emily Procter, Adam Rodriguez and Eddie Cibrian star. 8:01 PM on CFCN; 11:01 PM on KREM

Lie to Me

Fans of this underrated drama starring Tim Roth as human lie detector Dr. Cal Lightman have had to put up with some frustrating programming moves by the network, but Fox isn't lying to you this time: The show is back with a batch of new episodes, and — huzzah! — it's even been picked up for another season. 9 PM on CICT KAYU

Crawford arrested in Texas

Gossip Girl star Chace Crawford was arrested in Texas for marijuana possession, according to TMZ. Crawford was reportedly found sitting with a friend in a car outside a pub in Plano, Texas, in possession of an unlit joint. **METRO WORLD NEWS**

Celebrity Buzz

Conviction in Dunst case

HANDBAG HEIST ENDS WITH JUSTICE FOR SPIDEY'S LEADING LADY It was a real-life remake, with a different ending.

A mechanic was convicted Friday of burglary in the theft of Kirsten Dunst's $2,000 designer purse and actor Simon Pegg's cellphone and other items from a chic hotel, a 2007 heist that forced the co-stars to twice play the part of witnesses.

James Jimenez, who said he just tagged along on what he thought was a co-defendant's legitimate errand, was convicted of trespassing after a trial last fall. But that jury deadlocked on the more serious burglary charge, spurring a retrial that brought the actors back to the witness stand this week.

Their roles were simple: They explained that their possessions disappeared from a So-Ho Grand Hotel penthouse suite they were using as a lounge during filming for How to Lose Friends & Alienate People, and that they didn't know the men they later saw ambling around the penthouse floor on surveillance video.

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Regretting her words

FISHING FOR SYMPATHY WITH INSENSITIVITY... PROBABLY NOT WISE Kristen Stewart is feeling remorse over her choice of words in comparing being followed by paparazzi to being raped. "I really made an enormous mistake," tells People magazine.

"I'm really sorry about my choice of words. I've made stupid remarks before, and I've always reasoned, 'Whatever. They can think what they want.'"

But the last thing Stewart wants is for anyone to think she takes violence against women lightly. "People thinking that I'm insensitive about this subject rips my guts out," she says. "I made a big mistake."

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CelebTweets

NICOLE RICHIE doesn't quite get the gist of Father's Day, **LINDSAY LOHAN** isn't letting it go, **JUSTIN BIEBER** won't let a headache slow him down, and **CONAN O'BRIEN** has mature movie tastes.

@nicolerichie If anyone is planning on getting me a Fathers Day present, I want a massage chair. Thanks.

@lindsaylohan Was just thinking about how mean& unnecessary that etrade commercial was of my during super bowl

@justinbieber Today is a good day.. I got headache but it's still a good day...

@ConanOBrien Favorite movie: "The Parent Trap". Not the Disney one; the one by the guy who did the Saw movies. Ps: They don't make it out of the trap.

METRO NEWS SERVICE

Phillippe still sad about his divorce

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE It may have been four years since they split, but Ryan Phillippe is still having trouble getting over his divorce from Reese Witherspoon.

"I still have sadness about my divorce," he says, according to Hollyscoop. "But my aim is always to progress — to be a better father, a better boyfriend, a better friend, a better actor. My goals are to improve in all areas of life. If you're fearful and you're closing yourself off from potentially wonderful or beautiful additions to your life, that's not going to lead anywhere positive." **METRO WORLD NEWS**

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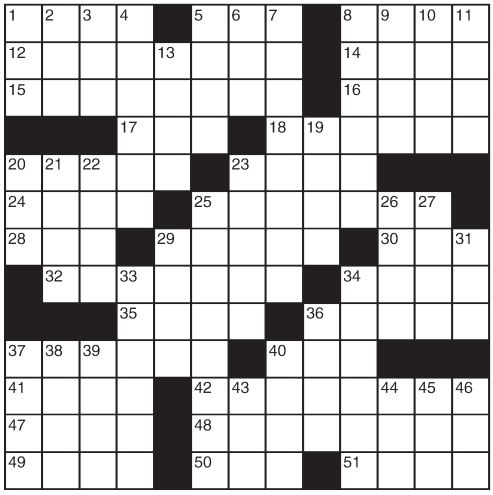

Sudoku

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HOW TO PLAY: Digits 1 through 9 will appear once in each zone – one zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine zones in the puzzle. Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same zone, row across or column down the entire puzzle.

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ACROSS

1 Slightly open
5 Spinning meas.
8 Small songbird
12 Mournfully, in music
14 Continental coin
15 Airship
16 Actress Hathaway
17 Moray, for one
18 Mortarboard dangler
20 Earning a bronze medal
23 Horse's neck hair
24 Bankrolls
25 Wool grease
28 Praise, in verse
29 Sacred Muslim text
30 Corn on the —
32 Olympics spear
34 Libertine
35 Eye amorously
36 Tubular pasta
37 "Give a hoot, don't pollute" owl
40 A billion years
41 Beefcake type
42 Kate of reality TV
47 On the briny
48 Entry on a sports schedule
49 Disarray
50 Wildebeest
51 World's fair

DOWN

1 Wood-shaping tool
2 Namath or DiMaggio
3 Matterhorn, e.g.
4 "Three's Company" couple
5 Rock partner
6 Letter before omega
7 Butte dweller
8 "Pop Goes the —"
9 Baseball scores
10 Sea eagle
11 Playwright Coward
13 Clarinetist's sliver
19 In due time
20 Pair
21 Pilgrimage to Mecca
22 Concept
23 "Everybody Loves Raymond" mom
25 Dawdle
26 PC picture
27 Part of speech
29 Frat party necessities
31 Spelling contest
33 Bar orders
34 Fail to follow suit
36 Flower
37 "Pow!"
38 Northampton-shire river
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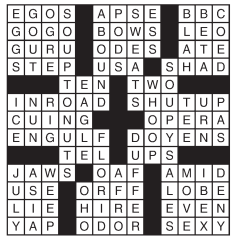
46 Ultramodernist

PREVIOUS DAY'S CROSSWORD AND SUDOKU ANSWERS:



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Metro Recipe of the Day

Russian Borscht

INGREDIENTS:

6 medium-size beets with tops
2 cups finely-shredded spinach
2 tbsp butter
1 large onion, chopped
5 cups low-sodium beef broth
540 ml can chopped tomatoes, undrained and cut up
2 tsp dried marjoram
1 tsp salt
1 tsp dried dill weed
1/2 tsp black pepper
2 cups shredded cabbage
2 cups bite-size pieces cooked beef or pork
2 tbsp vinegar
1 tbsp sugar

METHOD:

1. Trim leaves from beets, leaving 2.5 cm of stem attached. In 6-litre Dutch oven, cover beets with lightly salted water. Bring to boil. Lower heat and simmer, covered, 45 minutes or until tender; drain. Cool slightly. Peel beets by slipping off skins while still warm. Cut beets into 3.5 cm x 0.5 cm sticks. Measure 4 cups.

2. In same pot, melt butter over moderately high heat. Add onion and cook 5 minutes or until tender.

3. Add spinach broth, tomatoes, marjoram, salt, dill weed and pepper. Bring to boil. Lower heat and simmer, covered, 5 to 10 minutes or until spinach is tender. Stir in cabbage, beef, vinegar and sugar. Carefully stir in cooked beets. Simmer, covered, 5 to 7 minutes more or until heated through.

SERVES 8

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ARIES ♈
MARCH 21-APRIL 20
Just because something is fashionable does not mean you have to believe in it or follow it slavishly. Question everything you are told today.

TAURUS ♉
APRIL 21-MAY 21
It is important to know why friends and colleagues think and act in certain ways. Pay attention.

GEMINI ♊
MAY 22-JUNE 21
You know that something drastic needs to be done and it is around the middle part of the week that good intentions will easily be translated into action.

CANCER ♋
JUNE 22-JULY 22
There are only so many hours in a day and so many days in a week, so use your time wisely and make the most of your talents.

LEO ♌
JULY 23-AUG 23
Keep things simple today, especially when dealing with financial matters. Also, don't be afraid to speak the truth as you see it.

VIRGO ♍
AUG 24-SEPT 22
The direct approach is the best approach today, and that applies as much to your job or career as it does to affairs of the heart.

LIBRA ♎
SEPT 23-OCT 23
What you fear the most is what you most likely have least to fear. Does that knowledge make you feel any better? If not, don't worry about it.

SCORPIO ♏
OCT 24-NOV 22
You will be thinking deeply about your place in the world this week, and that's good. But don't go so deep that you lose sight of the sky.

SAGITTARIUS ♐
NOV 23-DEC 21
Someone in a position of authority is about to make you a remarkably good offer. Is it too good to be true? Make it your business to find out.

CAPRICORN ♑
DEC 22-JAN 20
You've had more than your share of false starts lately and it may not be until next month that you feel you are back in control of your life.

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JAN 21-FEB 18
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